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**UTILITY PATENT
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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (Incorporated within this form)
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- a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed).
- i. ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application,
see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
5. ☐ Incorporation by reference (useable if box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under
box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is incorporated by
reference therein.
6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
- a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
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- c. ☐ Statement Verifying identity of above copies

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8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet and document(s)) to: AMG, Grosseoeuvre, FRANCE (Name, city and country).

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9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney

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10. ☐ English translation Document (if applicable)

11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)

14. ☒ Small Entity Status is claimed.

15. ☒ Claim for Convention Priority ☐ Certified copy of Priority Document(s)

- a. Priority of French application no. 99/10003 filed on July 29, 1999 is claimed under 35 USC 119. The certified copies/copy have/has been filed in prior application Serial No. PCT/FR00/01247.
(For Continuing Applications, if applicable)

16. ☐ Other _____

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

☐ Continuation ☐ Division ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no. PCT/FR00/01247

- a. Please amend the specification by inserting after the title: --This application is a Continuation-in-Part of prior application Serial No. PCT/FR00/01247 filed May 2, 2000, which is hereby incorporated by reference, and which was not published English under PCT Article 21(2).--

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| Fee for recording enclosed Assignment | | | \$40.00 | |
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